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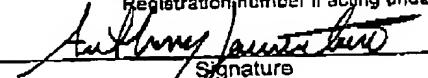
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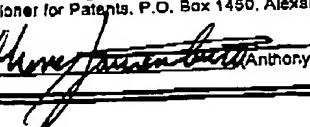
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2006 (H.R. 4816).)		Docket Number (Optional) TOW-034	
Application Number	10/626225-Conf. #4543	Filed July 24, 2003	
For : FUEL CELL STACK FOR VEHICLE			
Art Unit 1745	Examiner J. J. Rhee		
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
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